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PRACTICAL benevolence: An old story is being revived of a prayer-meeting held for a poor fellow's relief who had broken his leg. While Deacon Brown was praying a tall fellow with an ox-goad knocked at the door, saying, "Father could not come, but sent his prayers in the cart." They were potatoes, beef, pork and corn.

AN OLD GERMAN BALLAD.

A shepherd maiden led her lambs
With mild and graceful air
To greener fields of clover sweet
Where daisies blossom fair,
Then heard she, in the twilight's fall,
Clear and distinct the cuckoo call—
Cuckoo, cuckoo.

She sat down on a grassy bank
And to herself said she—
"To pass the time, I'll count to know
How long my life shall be.
A hundred—ten"—nor was that all,
For still she heard the cuckoo call,
Cuckoo.

The shepherd maiden angry grew;
Up from the grass she sprang,
Caught up her staff and ran with speed
To where the cuckoo sang.
He saw, and to the wood he flew,
While echoed back his call—cuckoo!
Cuckoo.

She followed him with lifted staff
Still in an angry mood,
And when she turned, she still could hear
His voice within the wood.
She hunted him from tree to tree,
Yet still he called out merrily,
Cuckoo.

Tired with her chase among the trees,
Impatiently cried she—
"Sing, if you like, your hateful song,
'Tis all the same to me!"
Turning, she met her shepherd swain,
Who, laughing, echoed the refrain,
Cuckoo, cuckoo.

SELFISH JOHN CLARK.

The meeting was a good one in spite of the intense heat, and there was more singing done by mosquitoes than by the human species.

John Clark sat by an open window, where what breeze there was came in and kept him comparatively comfortable, and then he had on a clean suit which his wife had washed and ironed that day, notwithstanding the mercury mounted high in the nineties, and its freshness was an additional comfort.

His first crop of hay, much larger than usual, had that day been put in his spacious barns without damage by so much as a drop of rain. He was well, strong, prosperous, and therefore happy. The ride home was charming, and as the new horse took them through Chirnley Woods, with sure, fleet feet, he felt that life was very bright; and as he thought of Brother White's remarks about "weary burdens," "feet tired with the march of life," he concluded that the aforesaid brother was not in the enjoyment of religion.

John's wife sat back in the carriage, resting her tired body and turning over in her mind the remarks her John had made at the meeting. "Bear ye one anothers burdens," had been the subject of the evening's talk, and John's speech had been listened to with evident relish.

"Your husband has the root of the matter in him," said the pastor, as she passed out. "I hope we shall all take heed to his well-timed words."

"I think of hiring Tom Birch as a sort of spare hand and call boy generally. I find this hot weather takes the starch out of me," John said, as the horse trotted through the cool pine grove, amid flickers of moonlight.

"Will you board him?" asked Mary Clark, in a constrained voide, with the memory of her husband's exhortations still in mind.

"Of course. I want him evenings to take the horse when we come from meeting, or if I have taken a friend out. It is rather hard to go to work directly one gets home."

"You are to hire him to bear some of your burdens," said Mary, in the same hard voice.

"Just so, wife. It stands me in hand to practice, if I preach; don't you say so?"

"I do. I am glad you are to have help; as you say, it is hard to go to work the minute you get home. I have been foolish enough to have this ride spoiled by thinking of bread to mix, two baskets of clothes to fold before I sleep, of the ironing to-morrow, and dinner to get for four hungry men, and baby to care for."

"Don't crowd to-morrow's burdens into this pleasant ride. And it seems to me that it would be better to get all your house-work done before meeting-time."

"If I could, but that is impossible; milk to strain, dishes to wash, Benny and baby to put to bed—all these duties come together, and then I am tired enough to go to bed myself."

"Take it easy, Mary; keep cool, avoid all the hot work you can."

"I wish I could have a girl, John!"

"Mother used to say girls were more hindrance than help. I guess you would find them so, and then they waste and break more than their wages. I don't see how I can afford a girl. Do what you can, and leave some things undone; that's the way to work it," and John sat back with a satisfied air, and Mary thought of her husbands glowing words in the prayer-meeting.

"I will do all I can," said Mary, in a weary voice. "What I am obliged to do is much beyond my strength. The three meals come near together, washing and ironing must be done, baby shall not be neglected, and of course I must keep the clothes well mended."

"One thing at a time is the way to think of your duties. Pick up all the comfort you can as you go along. I have made up my mind to do so in the future."

"So I see, by your thinking of having an extra hand."

"Yes. I feel that I must take care of my health for your sake and the childrens'."

"Certainly," Mary answered in a sarcastic tone, "how thoughtful you are for us!"

John made no further comment, but inwardly wished that prayer meetings did Mary the good they had once, and wondered why his wife was so changed.

"I am going with 'Squire Towne to see a reaper, he says he hardly wants to buy without my opinion." This was next day.

John left his wife ironing, with the half-sick baby sitting by the table in the company of an army of flies; and in spite of the home scene, enjoyed his ride along the pleasant road, well pleased to be seen so much with the great men of the town. At supper time he came home with the new reaper behind the wagon.

"By taking two we made a handsome saving; and, as I intended to buy one, I thought I might as well take it now," he remarked, by way of explanation. "It will save time and strength and pay for itself in a year."

Mary made no comment, but set her teeth tightly together when she remembered that she had asked in vain for something to make her work easier. A sewing machine had been pronounced "hurtful; better have fewer changes of clothing than run a machine," John had decided when the subject was discussed; "a clothes wringer would be constantly getting out of order. To bring water into the house, would be just to spoil the water. Nothing, after all, like the good old bucket. Mother would never have a pump in her day!"

"My mother used to say all men are selfish, and I begin to think she was right," Mary muttered as she went to the kitchen for the plate of hot biscuit John was so fond of for his tea.

Her husband's appetite was good, but from fatigue and overheating herself, Mary could not eat. His ride and the society of the genial squire had acted like a tonic, but there is no tonic in the air of a hot kitchen,

"A commonplace life," she said, and she sighed, as she cleared away the tea dished, while John tilted back in his arm chair on the cool, draughty porch and talked over things with neighbor Jones.

"Why don't you buy Widder Patch's cranberry medder?" asked Mr. Jones; "it's going dirt cheap, and you can afford it." The sum was named, figures that astonished Mary, and she was more surprised when she heard her husband say:

"I've half a mind to do it. I've just had an old debt paid in, and, to tell the truth, affairs in the money market are so squally, I don't know just where to salt it down."

No tears came into Mary's tired eyes, but her heart went out in one mighty sob as she stood, dish-pan in hand, before the disordered table, and thought how cheaply she had sold herself, really for $2 a week and her board, to the man who had promised to love and cherish her until death. The beautiful piano she had brought to the farm was never opened, but looked like a gloomy casket in which was buried the poetry of life. The closed "best parlor" had long since assumed the grimness and mustiness of country best parlors, of which in her girlhood she had made so much fun. John was a rich man, and in spite of his marriage vows and his glowing prayer-meeting talk, was allowing burdens grievous to be borne, to press on her shoulders, in order to "salt down" his dollars.

Had she not the duty to perform? Ought she to allow him to preach and never to practice? Had she not rights to be respected? which were not by her husband; for, she reasoned, if he allowed her to do what could be done by an ignorant Irish woman for $2 a week, then he rated her at that price.

"Widder Patch has had a tough time on't," said neighbor Jones; "she is going to the West'rd to Tom, if she sells the med ler, and Jane is going out to work. "She's tried sewing, but it don't agree with her, and Dr. Snow recommends housework as healthy business."

"'Tis healthy business," chimed in John. "Now my wife is a good deal better than when I married her. Why, she never did a washing in her life until she came to the farm. I think washing and general housework is much better than piano playing and reading."

"So I say to the girls, who pester me to buy an organ; better play on the wash board, enough sight, was the elegant response.

"Are you going to buy the cranberry meadow John?" Mary asked, as she saw her husband making preparations to go from home.

"Yes—why?"

"Can you afford it?"

"We shall have to figure a little closer in order to do it, but it is going cheap."

"You will have to give up Tom Birch, won't you and do the chores yourself?"

"I have thought of it, but Tom is poor, and to give him a home is a deed of charity. No, we will save some other way."

"How much do you pay Tom?"

"Three dollars and his board. And, by the way, he says you didn't wash his clothes. Washing and mending was in the bargain."

"I think Tom will have to go, for I have hired Jane Patch. She will be here to-night. Two dollars a week I am to give her. You want to practice 'Bear ye one another's burdens,' as well as preach from the text, so I will give you a chance. I will take my turn in sitting on the cool piazza after tea with a neighbor, while you do the chores. I think the time has come for some of my burdens to be lifted. By exchanging Tom for Jane you will have $1 a week for the cranberry meadow. You say strong, active Tom is in need of a home; he can make one for himself anywhere. It is a deed of charity to give Jane a home, and an act of mercy to give your wife a little rest."

Before John could recover from his astonishment, Mary walked out of his sight, and taking the children, went to the shut-up parlor. Throwing open the windows to let in the soft summer air, with the baby in her lap, she sat down at her piano and began to play "a song without words," a piece John had loved to hear when he used to visit her in her home, where she was a petted girl. The song crept out through the open windows and around to John as he sat on the porch, and memory compelled him to give the song word. Not musical poetry, but rather sober prose, wherein washing, ironing, hard days at the churn, hours of cooking for hungry men, stoodo ut before his mind's eye in contrast to the fair promises he had made the pretty girl he had won for his bride.

Jane Patch came that evening, and at once took upon herself many of Mrs. Clark's cares, and no one greeted her more cordially than the master of the house. Nothing was ever said about her coming, and Tom Birch did not go away; so Mary knew that her husband could well afford the expense.

She told me how she helped to make one man thoughtful and unselfish, as we sat on her cool piazza one hot August night; and I was glad that one woman had grit enough to demand her rights. If John Clark had been poor, his wife would have borne her burden in patience, but she had no right to help make him selfish, and indifferent as to her health and comfort.

Mr. Bancroft's Roses.

Mr. Bancroft the Historian, who resides in Washington has a hobby. It is rose culture. Fancy this of a man who spends his days in setting up the dry bones of facts, and breathing into them the life of history! His winter home is a double brown-stone, and had originally a small strip of ground on each side of the entrance. There was one blaze of color from February to June. Such hyacinths surely never bloomed outside of a poem; and the tulips looked as if some tropical bird had been plucked near by, and its plumage scattered broadcast over the over the beds. Every shade and color in nature's paint-box was represented, and under the wooing sun and soft air of midwinter they thrust up from the mold long before the leaves were out or the spring prince had kissed the sleeping world to life; and in the snows and storms that follow such a weather-truce they would stand erect and glowing and hold their ground until the green was washed into the hills, and the cat-tails began to frisk on the trees.

But all of this was only a prelude to his rose garden. He bought a large lot which joined his property at right angles, facing on Seventeenth street; of course he paid a fancy price for it, as it was in the heart of the West End. Straightway he planted it all in roses.

Such flowers! They ranged in color from the palest bloom of Provence to the passionate heart of the Jacqueminot; Marechal Niel bends in stately courtesy to Marie Gillot, and sighs in perfume for the Cloth-of-God and the memories of the Malmaison; Madame Melsh shakes her petals at the White Croquet, the Attar rose, the pale Safrona, and the Damask Blush, the Micrafilla lifts up its white cups to the sun, and Maria Cook faints in the glow of a sisterhood whose very names I have forgotten. The garden is like a temple where a thousand spices are burning in flames of as many colors, and the venerable historian is the worshipper.

He is an early riser, and many a morning I have been awakened by cries and comments, incoherent as to words, but ringing with pleasure! I would go to my window, and there, bending over rose after rose, would be the slight, elastic figure of their adorer—his white beard and hair sweeping the freshness from their chalices, and getting the first perfumes of the young day. He carried a book in one hand and "a three-legged stool" in the other, and spent two or three hours just wandering from bush to bush in an ecstacy of content—sometimes kissing the flowers, sometimes caressing them with his fingers, and frequently dropping on his stool under some specially odorous cluster to read his book to the accompaniment—sound sense and sweet scents!

His house at Newport is surrounded by a sea of bloom and fragrance, and he makes his roses the calendar by which he tells off his seasons. He stays in Washington until June and the Jacqueminots die together; then he flies to his northern garden, where he lingers until the hardiest of its denizens are dead and the ghosts of their petals fall in snow from the clouds of November. His house in Washington is stored with interesting things. the specialty being that there is one of everything and that one of the very best. His hospitality is lavish and elegant, and his library what Ruskin would call "A tomb of the kings." In build the historian is, as I have said, slight his hair and beard are like cream colored silk, his dark eyes tender with the fires of thirty, and his movements are quick and graceful. He rides every day on a fiery black horse, and can tire out his young companions in a hard trot every time.

Cat Fishing.

Some years ago, says a writer I had a cat whose fishing proclivities and fondness for the water was, to say the least of it, extraordinary. Her eccentricities, so far as I knew them, dated from the first moment I saw her. A friend and myself were fishing in a forty-acre lake, in a large park, on a bitter November day, with the wind a dead nor' easter. Just as we were thinking of desisting, about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, my friend called my attention to a half-grown kitten which stood mewing bitterly on the bank some 30 yards from us. We called it once or twice, and, to our surprise, it took to the water without the slightest hesitation and swam to the boat. After drying it as well as we could, we wrapped it up in old rug, and gave it some of the bait from the punt's well, which it devoured greedily. I took it home after its very Arthurian advent, but it never became a domestic animal. Tabby's chief delight, on the contrary, was to wander in and out the sedges of the stream, by which my house stands catching rats, moor hens, or sedge warblers, and in summer to poach in the shallows for small fish. I have frequently found her doing this, and my bait can was never safe unless actually fastened, for even if the lid were down, somehow my lady Tabby would get it up and be at the contents in a trice. I kept her some four years, and at last was forced to shoot her, for she took to game poaching in right good earnest, and ended by living in a rabbit's burrow, from which, after trying to coax without success, she was incontinently drawn and shot. I have often thought she was a forest-born cat, of parents getting their sustenance in the coverts, and living there as cats will often do, after the first departure from virtue in the direction of game poaching.

We must learn to infuse sublimity into trifles; that is power.

Flattery is like false money, it impoverishes those who receive it.

It is a great point of wisdom to know how to estimate little things.

"Ordering Dinner."

Society may be considered with regard to the joys and troubles of dining, as divided into three great zones or sections, whereof one alone is for the most part greatly exercised with the daily problem:—"What shall we eat?" There is, on the one hand, a privileged and much-envied class that can eat pretty nearly whatever it chooses, and which leaves the task of selecting and providing the dishes for the chef meal of the day to some trusty subordinate. The unfortunate persons who belong to this section have usually a chief who has found out what are their favorite viands, and who with a moderate share of ingenuity can compose each day a bill of fare with which the master or mistress of the house will be pleased, or at least contented. Very possibly this class may not be so large as the vulgar herd suppose, and a glance into the interior sanctum of some fine house might discover a Cabinet Minister or the wife of a Knight of the Garter engaged in the undignified and unstatesmanlike proceeding of holding a morning colloquy with the cook. But the class, wehther large or small, undoubtedly exists, and one of the most notable specimens of it was the great Duke of Wellington, who was never observed either to know or care what he was eating, and would have found it far more difficult to draw up a menu than to win a pitched battle in the field. On the other hand, there is the class of unfortunates—or fortunates, as the philosophers call them—whose fare is regulated by a very simple rule, for it consists of what they can get. Not only prisoners and pensioners, school-boys and lodgers in seaside boarding-houses, must put up with the food that is set before them by their caterers, but a large number of perfectly independent subjects of her Majesty, living in their own dwellings, are reduced to a similar necessity, and spared the difficulty of making a choice. The cottager who has invested a suitable share of his Saturday wages in a joint is thereby committed to a diet which he cannot vary for the next two or three days, or at least can only vary, if he dines at home, by cutting a different vegetable from day to day from his garden. But between these two extremes lies the broad zone, including the whole of the middle classes, of those who have daily to answer, either personally or by deputy, the question, "What will you have for dinner to-day?"

Now, to a great many managers of house-holds—young wives, especially, and nervous widowers this question is fraught with untold terrors. It is the one great trial of the day, never fully provided against, ever new though always old, a perpetual anxiety and exercise for the mind, whose inventive powers seem somehow or other to be never in so slack a condition as at the moment when the inevitable housekeeper appears with the well-known formula on her lips. No amount of experience or practice can overcome the absence of that originality which is essential to a good domestic caterer, but which Nature has denied to so many worthy ladies capable of excelling in all other departments of the housewife's art. For the epicure, or at least the female epicure, is born, not educated; and no amount of teaching in the most approved school of cookery will atone for the absence of that essential qualification that the orderer of a dinner should feel an interest in the work. Thus it is that the wife who is deficient in this natural gift may be heard among her most intimate friends entreating to be posted up in some nice new dishes which will serve to ornament and enliven her bill of fare for a month or so to come. Lists are then made out, or pencil marks scored against the recommended delicacies in that cookery book which the uninventive housewife never fails to have at hand. But the entrees and entremets which looked and tasted so nice at the friend's house, present very often quite a different appearance and flavor at home; and the expected successes are as often as not dismal failures, especially when any particular merit is expected in them. This sad result will sometimes follow even "in the best regulated households," and when the cook is not only competent but honestly desirous of giving the new experiment a fair trial. But how many cases are there where this autocrat of the lower regions is either unable or unwilling to achieve the proposed feat!

Kleptomania.

M. Pierre Giffard gives some interesting information about that fashionable disease known as kleptomania. He says that no less than 4000 women are annually caught stealing from Paris counters, and the number of titled ladies seized with kleptomania while examining the fashions is almost incredible. Among recent culprits were a Russian princess, a French countess, an English duchess, and the natural daughter of a reigning sovereign. Of course, people of this quality never appear in the police court, but arrange a quiet settlement with the proprietors, often making a round contribution, occasionally as much as $2,000, for the relief of the poor, as a condition of being let off. The police authorities, it appears, consent to such settlements.

Good-Day Sir.

There is a young man in the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, who is going to be terribly astonished before the year 1883 is more than a month old. The law will reach out and clasp his throat just above the Adam's apple, and he will get such a shaking up and mopping around that he will seem to feel his heels beating a tatoo on the back of his neck.

They were in to see a lawyer—Mary Ann and her mother. Mary Ann was a little embarrassed, but the old woman was calmness itself. When they spoke about a breach of promise case the lawyer asked:

"What evidence have you got?"

"Mary Ann, produce the letters," commanded the mother, and the girl took the cover off a willow basket and remarked that she thought 927 letters would do to begin on. The other 651 would be produced as soon as the case was fairly before the court.

"And outside of these letters?" queried the lawyer.

"Mary Ann produce your diary," said the mother. "Now turn to the heading of "Promises," and tell him how many times this marriage business was talked over."

"The tooting is 214 times," answered the girl.

"Now turn to the heading of 'Darling,' and give us the number of times he has applied the term to you."

"If I have figured right the total is 9254 times."

"I guess you counted pretty straight, for you are good in arithmetic. Now turn to the heading of 'Woodbine Cottage,' and tell us how many times he has talked of such a home for you after marriage,'

"The footing is 1,305 times."

"Very well. This lawyer wants to be sure that we've got a case. How many times has Charles Henry said he would die for you?"

"Three hundred and fifty," answered the girl as she turned over a leaf.

"How many times has he called you an angel?"

"Over 11,000, mamma."

"How about squeezing hand?"

"Over 384,000 squeezes."

"And kisses?"

"Nearly 417,000.

"There's our case!" said the mother, as she deposited basket and diary on the lawyers table. "Look over the documents, and if you want anything further, I can bring in a dozen neighbors to swear to the facets. We sue for $10,000 damages, and we dont settle for less than an eighty acre farm, with building in good repair. We'll call again next week—good-day, sir!"

Cost of Running Churches.

New York's total church expenses foot up about six million five hundred thousand dollars each year. The figures include the pay of pastors, the building fund, the cost of running the various churches and the outlay for missions and all benevolent purposes. The Roman Catholics lead the list. They have some seventy-five churches, and their total annual out-lay is estimated at two millions two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, half of which goes in charity. The Episcopalians come next. They have seventy-nine churches and chapels, with twenty-five thousand five hundred communicants. Their outlay is one million one hundred and fifty thousand dollars—six hundred thousand dollars for church expenses, and five hundred and fifty thousands dollars for benevolent purposes. After the Episcopalians come the Presbyterians, with sixty churches, having a membership of twenty-one thousand five hundred, and an expense of seven hundred and ninety-five thousand dollars something over half of which is for church purposes." The Methodists have sixty-five churches, but their membership is only thirteen thousand three hundred, and their total expenses are set down at two hundred and forty-three thousand dollars—two hundred thousand dollars being for church purposes. The Baptists, with thirty-six churchs and a membership of twelve thousand seven hundred, expend nearly one hundred thousand dollars more than the Methodists, their entire outlay being three hundred and twenty-eight thousand dollars. The Dutch Reformed and the Lutheran combined have forty-one churches, with a membership of sixteen thousand, and their expenses foot up three hundred and sixty-three thousand dollars. The Congregationalists have only six churches, with two thousand four hundred members, and a total expense list of ninety-six thousand dollars. Next come the Jews, and they make a very good showing. They have nineteen tabernacles, with a declared membership of three thousand (the regular attendance, though, is at least four times that number) and an expense of over three hundred thousand dollars.

Sympathetic Justice.

A gentleman was arraigned before an Arkansaw justice on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. He had entered a store, pretending to be a customer, but proving to be a thief. "Your name is Jim Lickmore," said the justice. "Yes, sir." "And you are charged with a crime that merits a long term in the penitentiary?" "Yes, sir." "And you are guilty of the crime?" "I am." "And you ask for no mercy?" "No, sir." "You have had a great deal of trouble within the last two years?" "Yes, sir, I have." "You have often wished that you were dead?" "I have, please your Honor." "You wanted to steal money enough to take you away from Arkansaw?" "You are right, Judge." "If a man had stepped up and shot you just as you entered the store you would have said: 'Thank you, sir.'" "Yes, sir, I would. But, Judge, how did you find out so much about me?" "Some time ago," said the Judge with a solemn air, "I was divorced from my wife. Shortly after you married her. The result is conclusive. I discharge you. Here, take this $50 bill. You have suffered enough."

A cheerful face is nearly as good for an invalid as healthy weather.

The greatest evidence of demoralization is the respect paid to wealth.

All the scholastic scaffolding falls as a ruined edifice before one single word.

The Lumber Region on the Russian River.

The mouth of the river, when we had gone near enough to have a good view of it from a headland, made a very noble picture. The green hills on the south slope gradually to a well-turfed base, hiding the beach, but showing a long sand-spit running out almost across the very entrance of the little bay, behind which are calm shadows. The northern headland, on the other hand, stands in bold outline—a point of sheer cliff jutting between the ocean and the river. Yet the charge of those waves rolling from the spicy archipelagoes of the great South Sea, or from the bleak coast of Tartary, is met, not by this mole, but by an outer row of gigantic, isolated rocks, overtopping the tide as the stones of Carnac rear their heads above the level plain, and the imagination can easily believe some giant of old, more powerful than the Druids, to have planted them as a breakwater guarding the harbor. Around their base curls the angry foam of swift-charging, impotent breakers, and they glory in the snowy clouds of spray that envelop their flanks, for thus the rage of the mightiest of oceans, is proved ineffectual, and the tamed waves sink behind them into sullen peace upon the weedy shore.

Such was the broad landscape of the region where we cast our lot these pleasant June days, and watched the cutting of the big trees.

Tradition says that credit for the very first attempt to make lumber with a saw in this region (for the Russians hewed all their beams and planks) belong to John Dawson and Bodega. Dawson was one of three sailors who abandoned their ship at San Francisco, as early as 1830, preferring the free and easy life of the Californians. In two or three years they became citizens under the Mexican government, and took up granted ranches hereaway, Dawson marrying the daughter of a Spanish dragoon officer. She was only fourteen when she went to live as mistress of the Canada de Pogolome, and only seventeen when she found herself the richest widow in Northern California. Dawson's lumber was cut over pits by means of a rip saw, which he handled without help. Not half a century later, steam mills in this district are turning out two hundred thousand feet of lumber daily.

Animals Against Forests.

The destruction of tress and shrubs and consequent bare, bleak, dry, unproductive and unhealthy present condition of the islands and districts of Greece and the regions around, once famous for their charms and shade, verdure, fertility and populousness is charged to the browzing of goats. The new government of Cypruss is considering how these animals can best be reduced or confined. Goats were introduced into another English island—Saint Helena, within a century, and the trees and shrubbery suddenly and rapidly died off so soon as they began to be numerous. The same obstacle in a different and less degree is a rock of stumbling in our attempts at forestry. A chief item of expense in many situations is that of fencing in the ground planted, until the trees attain a size unattackable by cattle. For best results, close planting and entire exclusion of animals are preferable. On most farms pasture is at times an utmost necessity. Every rod of ground that will yield any at all must be utilized. If there is no grass the foliage and even the stems of trees must serve. Hence, with the best of intentions for conservation, some unlucky day or pinching season occurs, when the hitherto well nursed plantation is browsed, broken and greatly injured, if not ruined.

Venus in January.

Venus is morning star throughout the month. Though she has had to descend from the proud position she occupied at the time of the transit, she is still the fairest and brightest of the starry throng that makes the morning sky tremulous with brightness. Venus makes a superb appearance now in the easthern sky in the morning. Every lover of the stars who beholds her beaming face about the 9th of the month will be fully repaid for the trouble of getting up early, the price demanded for exhibition. She then reaches her period of greatest brilliancy on the western side of the sun. She has two of those periods, one thirty-six days before inferior conjunction, when she is evening star, and the other thirty-six days after inferior conjunction, when she is morning star. In the former case seen in the telescope, she appears as a waning crescent, like the old moon. In the latter she appears as a waxing crescent, like the new moon. On the 19th Venus is in conjnctoin with Eta Ophiuchi, a star in the constellation of the Serpent Bearer, being two degrees north. The planet and star will be at their nearest point at 11 o'clock in the evening, when they are below the horizon. They will be sufficiently near to be worth getting up to see on the morning of the 20th, when Venus rises not far from 4 o'clock. Venus rises about a quarter before 5 o'clock in the morning; at the end of the month she rises a few miutes after 4 o'clock.

Shark Jewelry.

Industrial art now employs the skins of certain sharks for sleeve buttons and the like—these, when dried and polished, almost equalling the choicest stones, and greatly resembling the fossil coral porites. The vertebræ of the shark are always in demand for canes. The opening filled with marrow during life is for this purpose fitted with a steel or iron rod, the side openings are filled with mother-of pearl, and, when polished, the cane is decidedly ornamental.

The Millheim Journal.

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Rev. J. G. W. Herald, Preacher-in-charge.

Sunday School, 9 A. M.—A. R. Alexander, Supt

Lutheran.

Rev. John Tomlinson, Pastor.—

Preaching in Aaronsburg next sunday afternoon, 2½ o'clock, English.

Sunday School at 9½ A.M. B. O. Deininger, Supt.

The Augsburg Bible Class meets every saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

Ladies' Mite Society meets on the first Monday evening of each month.

Lodge & Society Directory.

Millheim Lodge, No. 655, I. O. O. F. meets in their hall, Penn Street, every Saturday evening.

Rebecca Degree Meeting every Thursday on or before the full moon of each month.

C. W. HARTMAN, Sec. JON. DINGES, N. G.

Providence Grange, No. 217 P. of H., meets in Alexander's block on the second Saturday of each month at 1½, P. M., and on the fourth Saturday of each month at 1½ P. M.

D. L. ZERBY, Sec. T. G. EBHARD, Master.

The Millheim B. & L. Association meets in the Penn street school house on the evening of the second Monday of each month.

A. WALTER, Sec. B. O. DEININGER, Prest.

The Millheim Cornet Band meets in the Town Hall on Monday and Thursday evenings.

J. W. Foote, Sec. D. I. Brown Pres't.

PROHIBITION.

Our state legislature is now wrestling with the subject of constitutional prohibition, and there is hardly a doubt that many members, perhaps even a majority, wish the struggle were over. Numerous petitions are sent in from all parts of the state; strong appeals are made both for and against the measure, and our legislators can neither dodge nor evade the question, much as they wish to do so. One feature is becoming more plainly manifest as the matter developes, namely that prohibition is gaining friends and adherents constantly. The legislature would therefore do well to take hold of the question bravely, without regard to personal or party considerations or influences, and give the people a chance to settle the matter themselves.

This is what prohibitionists rightfully claim, and is so eminently just and fair that even the advocates of the liquor interests will hardly pretend to urge any plausible arguments against it. The principle that the majority should rule is so fundamental in our system and so dear to every true American that the people have but little patience with any man or class of men who would subvert this primary factor in our governmental fabric.

The McDonald judiciary apportionment bill was agreed upon in committee and presented to the House last Saturday. It divides the state into forty-six districts, two more than the present number, but the committee claims that the proposed apportionment will save the state a sum of $40,000 in salaries each year. Thirty-eight out of the forty-six districts have each a population of over 40,000. and are entitled to a president judge respectively, under the constitution. Centre, Union and Snyder are joined together as the Fortieth District. This would give us two judges, same as now, and Judge Bucher would presumably be the President Judge, he being the oldest in commission. The new arrangement would no doubt be satisfactory all around.

It is now considered certain that the present House tariff bill can not pass, and indeed it begins to look very doubtful whether any tariff measure can pass the present session An extra session is fast becoming probable.

A STRANGE fatality seems of late to attach to the chairmanship of the national republican committee. The last two chairmen, Zachariah Chandler and Marshall Jewell, both died while holding the position.

Clearfield county will become a seperate judicial district as soon as an apportionment bill is passed. Colonel Walter Barret, Frank Fielding, Esq., and David L. Krebs, Esq., the latter a law partner of Senator Wallace, are the most prominent Democratic aspirants for the judgeship.

The Democratic State Committee had a meeting at the Girard House, Philadelphia, on the 15th inst., and decided that the next state convention shall be held at Harrisburg.

THE Legislature of Maine is about to consider bills prohibiting the sale and use of toy pistols, and compelling the use of fire escapes upon hotels and all public buildings.

The Pennsylvania legislature might profitably employ itself on the same line.

A Falsehood Corrected.

From the Lancaster Intelligencer.

The *Press*, which has been proving itself big enough to print the news and broad enough to tell the truth, allows an "Invisible" correspondent, writing from Harrisburg, to say in its columns that a committee "appointed to ascertain whether certain house officers could not be dispensed with," "reported that all were absolutely required, and those held in abeyance were sneaked in by peace-meal, and to-day they are all in, except two sergeant-at-arms, who will be in in plenty of time to get the full salary," and upon such allegations as this he concludes that the cause of reform at Harrisburg is hopeless in the democratic house and has only a chance in the republican senate. Now the facts are just the reverse. The house did dispense with a dozen officers allowed by law and not one of them has been sneaked in nor filled in any other way. The senate, on the other hand, has filled its quota. Every officer elected by the democrats has to do his work in person, and, as even the *Press* correspondent admits, one who was unfit for his position had to resign and was neither allowed to hire a substitute nor shirk his duties. This is a condition of things that has not prevailed at Harrisburg for many years before.

If the *Press* wants further evidence of the sincerity of the democratic house in the work of reform it can find it in the dispatch by that body of legislatve business, which is further advanced than it has been any time for ten years at the same period of the session. The appropriation committee, which is even more liberal than its chairman or the majority of the house, has already acted on forty-one out of sixty-seven bills before it, and has cut down the amounts asked for $1,201,354.

THE FLOODS.

INDIANAPOLIS, February 18.—Telegrams received by the relief committee and private information received from the flooded districts give gloomy accounts of suffering and distress. At New Albany one thousand families in the city and 350 in the immediate vicinity have been driven from home and are domiciled wherever covering can be had. By the stoppage of factories one thousand families are made dependent on public charity. On the bottoms west of the city 850 families have lost homes, barns, grain, forage and farm implements and are in absolute poverty, with nothing left to put in crops.

The Distress at Jeffersonville.

INDIANAPOLIS, February 14.—Private information from Jeffersonville, Ind., says the city is flooded from two to twenty-five feet deep and five thousand people are homeless. Many have lost all they had on earth. A large number of cottages in the lower part of the city were swept away and hundreds of people are quartered in second stories in public buildings and in business houses. Food is sent to them in skiffs. The scenes of suffering are appalling. It is still raining and the river is rising. The loss will reach over one million dollars. The people will have to leave Lawrenceburg. No lives have been lost so far as can be learned.

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There was an unusual scene at an auction in DuBoistown, Clearfield county, last Thursday afternoon. Mr. Aleck McFadden, of Mr. Spellisy's Auction House, was the auctioneer, and he was just rounding one of his stentorian periods, "Going, going," but before he could get to the climax, he was "gone" sure, for the floor gave away and the crowd numbering about seventy-five went down into the cellar, Mr. Spellisy and his auctioneer among the number. It was surprising what serious accidents sometimes result from little things, and at other times what miraculous escapes are made from the most appalling calamities. Although men, women and children went down with the wreck the debris including a burning cooking stove, and several coal oil lamps, yet no one was injured, except a little girl and Mr. Spellisy, who were slightly bruised.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—By virtue and in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Centre county the undersigned, trustee, appointed to sell the real estate of Michael Kreamer, late of Haines township, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises, about one and a half miles south of Aaronsburg, on

SATURDAY, the 3rd day of MARCH, A. D. 1883 at one o'clock, P. M., the valuable farm, containing 138 acres and 156 perches, neat measure. Thereon erected two dwelling houses, a large bank barn and all the necessary outbuildings, a never-failing spring at the door, orchard with choice fruit. About 95 acres are cleared and in a good state of cultivation, the balance is well timbered with white pine, white oak and other timber.

TERMS: One half on confirmation of sale, balance in one year with interest, to be secured by bond and mortgage.

J. H. REIFSNYDER, Trustee.

STRAY BULL.—Came to the residence of the undersigned, near Woodward, some time ago, a stray bull, about a year and a half old, brown color, with white spots on each side.

The owner is requested to pay charges, and take the same away, otherwise it will be sold as the law directs.

50-3m HENRY VONADA.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Elizabeth Bracht, late of Penn township, dec'd, having been granted to the subscriber, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them duly proven for settlement.

Penn township, Feb. 22. 1883.

JOHN BRACHT, Administrator.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—By an order issued by the Orphans' Court of Centre Co. the subscriber will offer at public sale on the premises at Woodward, Centre County, Pa., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 8th, 1883, at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following described real estate, late the property of John Motz, dec'd, viz:

No. 1 Situate in Woodward aforesaid, fronting on the B. A. & Y. turnpike, adjoining lands of Benjamin Orndorf, C W Hosterman, and others, containing 3 acres and 42 perches: Thereon erected a large TWO STORY DWELLING HOUSE, wash house, stable, and all other necessary outbuildings, all in good condition.

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No. 2 Adjoining the above, and lands of Jacob Bower, George Vonada, Henry Vonada, Samuel Yearick, and others, containing 135 acres, more or less, part thereof cleared and in a good state of cultivation, the balance covered with a heavy growth of PINE, OAK and HEMLOCK TIMBER. This tract will be sold as a whole or in parts, to suit the convenience of purchasers.

No. 3 Bounded as follows, viz: Beginning on the B. A. & Y. turnpike, North 80 degrees west 47 perches along said turnpike, thence North 11 1-2 degrees East 47 4-10 perches, thence South 43 degrees East —— perches to pine stump, thence South 28 degrees East 43 4-10 perches to the beginning, containing 8 acres and 9 perches.

TERMS: One third of purchase money cash, one third in one year, and the balance in two years. Deferred payments to bear interest and to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises. For particulars inquire of J. C. Motz, on the premises, or the undersigned.

C. M. BOWER, Trustee.

ALSO, at the same time and place, all that certain house and lot in Woodward, known as the Thomas Harper homestead.

Terms on day of sale.

C. MOTZ.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order issued by the Orphan's Court of Centre county the subscriber, administrator of the estate of Thomas Wolfe, late of Miles township, Centre Co., Pa., deceased, will offer at public sale, on the premises at Wolfe's Store, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 6TH, 1883,

the following described valuable real estate, viz:

No. 1. All those several tracts or pieces of land situate in Miles township, Centre Co., Pa., and bounded and described as follows: One thereof bounded on the east by lands of Henry Wolfe, Em't Geiswite and others, south by lands of John Stoner, west by lands of Reuben Kreamer and others, and north by lands of Daniel Wolfe, containing 23 acres, more or less, thereon erected two dwelling houses, store house, ware house, stables and other outbuildings.

No. 2. All the right, title and interest in and to all that certain tract of land, situate in Miles township, aforesaid, adjoining land of Benjamin Beck, Geo. Weaver, Moyer & Stroh-ecker and Henry Corman, containing 20 acres and 107 perches.

No. 3. All that certain tract of land situate in Miles township aforesaid, adjoining lands of the late Jacob Wolf and John Snoll, containing 10 acres and 5 perches and allowance.

No. 4. All the right, title and interest in that certain tract of land, situate in Miles township, aforesaid, bounded by lands of George Brungard, Michael Bower, —— DeLong and Martin Rady, containing 139 acres, more or less.

TERMS: One third of purchase money on confirmation of sale, one third in one year and the balance in one year thereafter Defered payments to bear interest from confirmation of sale, and to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

Sale to begin at 1 o'clock, P. M., sharp.

J. R. WOLFE, Administrator.

Lewisburg and Tyrone Railroad Time Table.

LEAVE WESTWARD.

	1	3	5	7	9
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M
Montandon.....	7.05	9.40	2.05	6.00	7.55
Lewisburg.....	7.25	10.05	2.20		
Fair Ground.....	7.30	10.13	2.25		
Biehl.....	7.40	10.27	2.35		
Vicksburg.....	7.45	10.36	2.40		
Mifflinburg.....	8.00ar	11.00 ar	2.55		
			le. 3.05		
Millmont.....	8.22		3.28		
Laurelton.....	8.33		3.40		
Wilker Run.....	8.57		4.06		
Cherry Run.....	9.15		4.25		
Fowler.....	9.35		4.47		
Coburn.....	9.48		5.00		
Spring Mills	ar 10.15		ar. 5.30		

LEAVE EASTWARD.

	2	4	6	8	10
		A. M.		P. M.	
Spring Mills.....		5.50		1.50	
Coburn.....		6 18		2.20	
Fowler.....		6.28		2.53	
Cherry Run.....		6.48		2.55	
Wilker Run.....		7.05		3.15	
Laurelton.....		7.38		3.40	
Millmont.....		7.40		3.52	
			A. M.		
Mifflinburg.....		8.00	11.45	4.15	
			P. M.		
Vicksburg.....		8.15	12.10	4.22	
Biehl.....		8.20	12.17	4.38	
Fair Ground.....	A. M.	8.30	12.33	4.48	P. M.
Lewisburg.....	6.25	8.45	12.50	5.10	7.30
Montandon ar.	6.45 ar.	9.00 ar	1.05 ar.	5.20 ar	7.40

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The Millheim Journal.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22., 1883.

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Local Department.

PUBLIC SALE REGISTER

March 2nd, David F. Bowersox, Haines township, live stock and farming utensils.

March 3rd, J. H. Reifsnyder, trustee. Valuable farm of Michael Kreamer, deceased, Haines township.

March 6th, J. R. Wolfe, administrator of Thomas Wolfe, deceased, valuable real estate in Miles township, lumber, farming utensils and household goods.

March 8th, Jacob Snavely, Penn township, live stock and household goods.

March 8th, C. M. Bower, Trustee, valuable real estate in and around Woodward.

March 8th, John C. Motz, homestead in Woodward.

March 9th, Jacob Gobble, Snydertown, live stock and lot of farming utensils.

March 10th, John Bracht administrator of Elizabeth Bracht, at John B. Heckman's in Gregg township, cow, farming implements and household goods.

March 15th, John Grenninger, near Logan Mills, Sugar Valley, live stock and farming implements.

March 22nd, Henry Moyer, Penn township, live stock and farming implements.

March 29th, Jonathan Kreamer, live stock, wagons, buggies, and household goods.

—The elections passed off very quietly and the fellows who received the most votes were elected *as usual*.

—Our friend Wm. Miller is on the sick list. Hope he will soon get over.

—Lots of rain and fog last week—just the worst assortment of weather possible for midweather.

FOR SALE.—Rev. C. F. Deininger *offers his valuable property in Millheim* at private sale. For particulars inquire of H. K. Luse, on the premises. tf

—*Yoney Kreamer will have public* sale on Thursday, March 28th. Live stock, wagons and buggies and a large amount of household goods will be sold.

—Snyder county is valued at a gross sum of $4,175,854, by the several township and borough assessors. That would be quite a nice sum to have for a country editor.

—The Lutheran Sunday School of Millheim hereby returns her best thanks to John C. Metz, Esq., for the timely present of a sett of very fine chromo mottos.

Secretary.

—Barber Springer had his chairs and other furniture newly upholstered and varnished. They appear like new, and everything else in the shop is neat and clean. Jake likes to have things rather starkish.

—R. F. Vonada's Grocery at Coburn is doing quite a smart business. He keeps a full line of all the staple groceries, oysters, &c., and sells at the very lowest living prices. Give him a share of your patronage.

—On Thursday Mr. S. G. Clark moved his family and household goods into the new house built for him by Mr. Sober, near Zerby's saw mill at Penn's Creek. He expects to keep boarding house for Mr. Sober's lumbermen.

—The valuable property known as Wolfe's Store, in Brush Valley will be offered at public sale by the administrator of Thomas Wolfe, deceased, Tuesday, March 6th. A fine chance for an active, enterprising business man. Sale to begin at one o'clock sharp, of said day. ts

—J. A. Limbert is really one of the most accommodating and reliable fellows that ever drove a stage. Throughout the year he carries a very large amount of express goods all along the route, and delivers them in person.

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ATTENTION COLLECTORS FOR 1881.—All unsettled duplicates for the year 1881 will be placed in the hands of the attorney for immediate collection if not settled by the first day of April 1883.

JOHN WOLF,
H. C. CAMPELL,
A. J, GRIEST,
tf Commissioners.

—In the *Reporter* of Feb. 8th inst., Mr. Kurtz, among other insinuations equally groundless substantially charges us with having administered an oath while acting as Notary Public to a fraudulent account of $300 or $400, for printing the new constitution. Knowing that we never had anything to do with that matter in any form we clipped item and sent it to Mr. G. W. Foote, of Mifflinburg, our immediate predecessor, requesting a reply as to what he knew about it. The following is Mr. Foote'sanswer, in his own handwriting and over his own signature, and we wait to see whether Mr. Kurtz has the manhood and sense of justice to retract the false charge:

"I made oath to having published the Constitution in three issues of the CENTRE REPORTER, (Berichter,—Ed) but not before a Notary Public—it was before a Justice of the Peace, J. H. Reifsnyder, Esq., and I was advised to do this by three prominent citizens of Bellefonte, two Democrats and one Republican, they being acquainted with all the facts."

—The Musical Convention is in full blast and is quite well attended. Quite a number of strangers are in attendance and the committee is doing all they can for their accommodation and comfort. The concerts this evening and Friday evening promise to be very good and will no doubt be well attended. Tickets for reserved seats can be had at P. H. Musser's Jewelry Store. Better get yours in time.

SETTLED AT LAST.—The Turkey Run School House Debating Club in Union county has at last finally settled the much mooted question, "Resolved that married life is preferable to single life" by a dicision in the affirmative. No wonder at all that the affirmative gained the day, for we see by the *Telegraph* that two "Solomons" argued on that side. The judges however ought to have given a qualified decision, to the effect that any girl worth having as a wife had better die an old maid than marry a lazy, good-for-nothing, shiftless and thriftless booby who can not or will not support a family. What do *you* think of it, girls?

—All the bands of Snyder county will meet at Middleburg, on the anniversary of Washington's birthday. Plenty of brass and some big blowing is expected. We suggest that the celebrated Millheim band go down there and knock the spots off them all. What say you, Tom?

—The *Watchman* acts real ugly in handling poor Fritzy so roughly for the manner in which the *Reporter* office printed the county statement supplements. We are no printer, and of course no judge of such matters, and besides that too kind and considerate for Fritzy to repeat the *Watchman's* nasty language. Fritzy has but one trade since he is played out as a *statesman*, and if the *Watchman* from sheer malice and general cussedness ruins that, then what? Well, we will have no lot or part in the heartless business.

—*Bellefonte presents a striking example* of the serious results of the *improvement craze that swept over the* state ten to fifteen years ago, during the times when the inflated prices of labor ruled perhaps higher than ever before or since. The building of a new school house, the new reservoir, the opening and grading of new streets, are the principal factors that saddled the enormous debt of $121,000 on our beautiful and otherwise prosperous county town. It requires a tax levy of ten mills to pay the interest on the borough debt alone, which with the other taxes necessary for current expences run up to the fearful aggregate of thirty-three mills, without raising one dollar as a sinking fund to decrease the burdensome debt.

Perhaps the worst feature of the matter is that there seems to be no way to raise additional revenue for improvements that are imperative, as for example the rebuilding of the High street bridge recently swept away by the ice flood, as the borough has already exceeded its constitutional limit of debtmaking by about one hundred per cent.

In this dilemma the citizens of Bellefonte strongly appeal to the Board of County Commissioners to take the job off their hands and build a county bridge entire. Their plea gains much force from the fact that the bridge was and again will be largely used by many citizens of the county outside of Bellefonte. The Commissioners propose to erect an iron bridge if Bellefonte builds the abutments, but the citizens of Bellefonte say they are utterly unable to do even this.

In matters of public improvements absolutely necessary the JOURNAL has always favored a liberal policy, and we hope the commissieners will give our distressed neighbors all the aid they can, consistent with their duties as wardens of the people's money.

THE ELECTIONS.

MILLHEIM BORO'.—*Chief Burgess*—James C. Smith; *Assistant Burgess*—J. W. Adams; *Council*—C. W. Hartman, J. H. Maize, J. C. Springer, H. T. Hockman, A. A. Frank, J. H. Swartz; *School Directors*—A. Walter, D. L. Zerby; *Overseer*—H. H. Weiser; *Assessor*—D. W. Zeigler; *Ass't Assessors*—W. A. Tobias, E. C. Campell; *Judge*—F. P. Musser; *Inspectors*—W. N. Auman, A. J. Gephart; *Auditor*—J. R. Bair; *High Constable*— E. Bartholomew; *Constable*—G. W. Stover, Jr.

PENN TOWNSHIP.—*Supervisors*—Daniel E. Gentzel, Andrew Harter; *Overseer*—Alf. Stover; *School Directors*—Jacob Emerick, E. Kerstetter; *Assessor*— John Kerstetter; *Ass't Assessors*—John Moyer, Andrew Stover; *Judge*—Ammon Greninger; *Inspectors*—P. H. Stover, A. W. Ulrich; *Constable*—Daniel Kerstetter.

HAINES TOWNSHIP.—*Supervisors*—John J. Orndorf, A. J. Stover; *Overseer*—Adam Weaver; *School Directors*—Jacob Fiedler, Em'l Cronmiller; *Assessor*—Jerry Winkelblech; *Ass't Assessors*—Henry Fiedler, Cornelius Bower; *Auditor*—J. G. Meyer; *Town Clerk*—J. Willis Musser; *Constable*—H. J. Crouse; East Precinct, *Judge*—M. S. Fiedler: *Inspectors*—W. J. Krape, John C. Stover; West Precinct, *Judge*—George Bower; *Inspectors*—Robert B. Boop, B. F. Edmunds.

MILES TOWNSHIP.—*Supervisors*, Benjamin Roush, James Corman; *Overseer*, John K. Hosterman; *School Directors*, Tho's E. Royer, Geo. B. Haines; *Assessor*, S. M. Winter; *Ass't Assessors*, Adam Shafer, George Brumgard; *Auditor*, S. Frank; *Judge*, J. C. Smull; *Inspectors*, H. Dutweiler, B. F. Miller; *Constable*, F. B. Barker.

Der Friederich, der Friederich,
Der bitterboese Dieterich!

Freddy had so little to say last week that we really pity him in the goodness of our big "Jumbo" heart. His chronic trouble about our democracy is no doubt becoming wearisome to his readers, but is entirely harmless to us. His long range flings at somebody out west are as futile as they are indecent and only show what *kind* of an animal he is. Try again, Freddy—guess work is as good as any, if it hits. But before you busy yourself about our democracy again, "don't you forget it" that you placed *your* democracy on trial before the people of Penn's Valley only a few months ago, and that your *Jeffersonion Jacksonion* "rain or shine" democracy commanded only a few scattering votes in the northern precinct of Potter township! You may write Icha *BOD* again. Why Freddy, your whilom republican competitor, Prof. Meyer, beat you out of your boots, right in your own valley, where the prestige and influence of your "great and good Reporter" ought to have made you *immensely* popular. This matter sadly needs explanation and we cheerfully yield you the floor. Get your neighbor John C——y to refresh your memory on the details, then tell us how it all happened. It will supply an interesting link in your "history" which Mr. Linn so cruelly omitted. Meanwhile you may scold us abolitionist to your heart's content, the public will of course consider the point well put and *very timely*.

Mr. Kurtz established his CENTRE HALL *Reporter* some fifteen years ago, but never publicly claimed that it was the continuation of the old *Centre Berichter* until Jan. 4th of the present year. If he really thought his *new Reporter* was the identical old *Berichter*, he should have made that claim in the first issue of the *Reporter* and all the time since. But he did not, and most probably for the reason that such a *claim then would likely have resulted* in a suit at law with his aged father. We do not dispute Freddy's right to *name his paper just anything he pleases* —Centre Reporter or CENTRE HALL SOCKDOLAGER, for that is all a matter of choice and taste; but we do most decidedly insist that the JOURNAL *is* the real old *Berichter* and that the Reporter is *not*. He tried to make a point against us a few weeks ago by saying that we "abandoned" the old name of the paper. So we did, for good reasons and with a clear right, but we never "abandoned" the identity of the JOURNAL and never will. We have made but *one* change, and that a permanent one, in the title of our paper, while the Kurtzes made at least three. The poor old thing had about as many names as a European prince—*Der Centre Berichter, Berichter und Anzeiger, Demokratischer Berichter*, and Freddy even changed his title from *Centre Hall Reporter* to *Centre Reporter*, presumably for the reason that a town of "800 population" is entirely too small to hold so "great and good" a paper. Freddy should be about the last man to lecture us for *abandoning* names.

Since the beginning of the year Freddy flaunts the false and fraudulent claim in the bold, brazen words, "Volume—Old Series XL, New Series XVI," but that defiant falsehood must and will some time come down, *nolens volens*, Freddy may bet his bottom dollar on that.

On this point we will let one of our predecessors speak, who is thoroughly conversant on the subject. Freddy may be able to hit the mark a trifle nearer this trip, by guessing who it is. We claim no copyright on the subject matter and will generously permit Mr. Linn, or any other prominent historian to use it gratis as the first chapter in any probable "New Series" of the Life of the HON. FREDERICK KURTZ:

Somewhere, Jan. 1883.

Editor Journal:

In looking over an editorial in the *Centre Reporter* of a recent date I notice that its *clipper* and *paster* claims to be the oldest editor in Centre county, or in central Pennsylvania. It is a very broad claim for so diminutive a character—physically and particularly mentally—to make, but every one in Centre county knows that it is utterly false. Just hear him

The REPORTER was established in August 1827. Its Old Series would be Vol. 40. Its New Series dating form our removal to this place, now Vol. 15, make the combined age of the REPORTER 55 years—not taking in a few months to make the begining and ending of the Volume correspondent with the closing of the calender year.

Now this is decidedly rich. True, the "*Berichter was* established in 1827" as he says, but was published uninterruptedly from that date until May 6th, 1876,—excepting a few months after Fritz took what he pleased to Centre Hall, leaving the "hell" he says he left behind in utter chaos and confusion. What the poor *old man* said touching the conduct of "mei Fritz" in this matter, I do not deem necessary here to repeat, but will only say that he was broken hearted and shed bitter tears.

The *Centre Hall Reporter* was started in 1868, and the *Berichter* was published under the *old* name until May 6th, 1876, a period of eight years later, when the title was changed into MILLHEIM JOURNAL. Now any man who is not nine tenths a fool, or else a brazen-faced *Hessian*, must know that no "*new series*" of a paper can be claimed while the parent journal is still published. The Reporter is only fifteen years old and all that "Fritz" claims and says about "old series" and "new series" is the merest bosh, the thinnest kind of thin stuff, and will deceive no one but the willfully stupid.

Ergo.

—The members of the Reformed church residing in Millheim and vicinity have recently organized a mite society. The following are the officers: President—S. G. Gutelius; Vice President—D. I. Brown; Secretary—W. T. Auman; Treasurer—G. W. Stover; Visiting Committee—Mrs. S. G. Gutelius, Mrs. Dr. Stam, Mrs. John Kerstetter, Mrs. Anna M. Weaver, Miss. Maggie Alexander.

SPRING MILLS ITEMS.

Jacob McCool bought Emma Rishel's farm for $1500. Cheap enough.

Rev. J. D. Wilson, of New York, and John Wilson of Tyrone, are here on a visit to their venerable father, Peter Wilson, who celebrated his 85th birthday on the 18th inst.

The other Saturday evening as H. Rossman, A. P. Lose and H. M. Zeigler were driving in a sleigh along Fisher's dam, the horse scared, upset the sleigh, throwing the party down the embankment into the dam. They all escaped with a few slight bruises.

George Leitzell and three others while returning from preaching at Locust Chapel, (Where is Locust Chapel?—Ed.) were thrown out of the sleigh, the horse ran away and when caught was about used up. The lads and lasses were more scared than hurt. Boys, be more careful when you take your gals out sleighing.

W. F. Rearick is the leading grain and coal dealer in town. He always pays the ruling prices in cash. May his shadow never grow less.

The "Grange" buried Jonathan E. Royer on last Sabbath. The burial rites and ceremonies were very solemn and imposing, and the funeral was more largely attended than any ever had at Union Church. SAM PATCH.

Letter from Kansas.

PLEASANT VALLEY,
LINCOLN COUNTY, KANSAS.
Feb. 12., 1883.

DEAR JOURNAL:

We left Coburn on the 17th of January at 3 P. M., and were carried through our native mountains and the beautiful Buffalo Valley as fast as the old engine could pull us, arriving at Montandon at 7 o'clock and at Harrisburg at 10 40 P. M. Here we waited on the fast express until midnight, and then we sped westward ho! fast enough to satisfy the most hurried traveler. We had a speedy and very *pleasant trip, although it was very cold*, and arrived safely at Ellsworth, Jan. 20th, at 10. 55, in good time to take dinner with the family of our friend and cousin Rev. J. A. Bright. You can bet high, Mr. Editor, that ADAM had a great many questions to ask about our common fatherland. He is one of your inquisitive chaps *who wants to know simply everything about* everybody. Well, that may not be a great fault and we tried to give the fullest possible *information in the few hours we had at our disposal on the status of matters in old Penn's Valley*. The people, the church, the changes in social and business life, the lately married as well as the departed ones—even "ye editor" and his family—all came in for a goodly share of our conversation. Of one thing I can fully assure our old friends and neighbors, namely that Mr. Bright and his family have not lost their affections for their old friends, their old home, with the many pleasant and sacred associations that cluster around them. And this feeling—need I say it? I share to the fullest extent. After dinner we made preparations to leave for home. Our son Elmer was here to fetch us. As the train approached the station here we saw him standing on the platform anxiously awaiting our arrival, with the mercury fluttering around th chill point of 22 degrees below zero!

We arrived at home just as the shades of night were falling. The children were overjoyed that Pa and Ma and dear little Bella had returned at last, and we were no less happy to find then all well and everything in best condition. Home is home, and Mrs. Stover desires me to state for her that she likes her Kansas home better than ever.

Our visit to our Penn's Valley friends was all that heart could wish. It was simply delightful and did us much good. We take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks to relatives, friends, old neighbors and acquaintances for many acts of respect and kindness shown us, and only hope that perhaps some of them may give us an opportunity to return the same in Kansas.

Mr. Alvin Kreamer, son of J. L. Kreamer, is here and likes the country much. He thinks of staying here for some time.

Yours Very Respectfully,
P. B. STOVER.

News Miscellany.

The potato bug has lived through the winter, unharmed by storms or floods. While workmen were digging for sand near Scranton, a few days ago, they found thousands of living potato bugs fifteen feet below the surface.

An owl fought with two crows for an hour near Bethlehem last Friday. The owl was at a disadvantage owing to the sunlight, but after flying from tree to tree he finished the battle on the ground by killing one crow and blinding the other. When the owl flew toward the woods, however, he was followed by a score of crows, evidently determined on vengeance.

An exchange says some folks poke fun at newspapers for speaking of a fall of snow or other remarkable changes of the weather, when everybody knows it as well as the reporters. A change in the weather is not published as news, but as a matter of record, to which it may refer some future day. A Single note of this kind has been known to settle an important disputed point years after the event.

COLEMAN WAS one of the miners whom the Ruby snow-slide in Colorado swept down the mountains. Though buried several feet deep he fought his way to the surface. When he had time to examine himself he found that one of his shoulders was broken. He had been stripped of his clothing, moreover, and emerged as a brother of Aphrodite, naked from the snow froth. Instead of limping away Coleman began a long search for his comrades. One of these, Scott, he found at last, and, digging the unconscious man from the snow, dragged him to a cabin, where life was brought back.

Fatal Explosion of Compound Cartridges.

WILLIAMSPORT, February 12.—At a blacksmith shop near the deep cut on the Jersey Shore, Pine Creek and Buffalo Railroad, a short distance west of Jersey Shore borough, an explosion of compound cartridges occurred to day, by which James Watters, a blacksmith, lost his life. The top of his head, one leg and one hand were blown off. His hand was afterwards picked up in a field near by. Watters was between twenty-one and twenty-two years of age and had been recently married.

A Great Storm Predicted.

Dr. E. Stone Wiggins of the Finance Department of Ontario, who some time ago predicted that the recent gale would sweep from east to west over the continent, says a great storm will strike this planet in March. He gives this timely warning.

"It will be first felt in the Northern Pacific, and will cross the Meridian of Ottawa at noon (5 P. M., London time) on Sunday, March 11, 1883. No vessel smaller than a Cunarder will be able to live in this tempest. India, the south of Europe, England and especially the North American continent will be the area of its ravages. As all the lowlands on the Atlantic will be submerged, I advise ship builders to place their prospective vessels high up on stocks, and farmers having loose valuables, such as hay, cattle, ect., to remove them to a place of safety. I beg further, most respectfully to appeal to the honorable Minister of Marine that he will peremptorily order up storm drums on all the Canadian coast not later than the 29th of February, and thus permit no vessel to leave the harbor. If this is not done, hundreds of lives will be lost and millions worth of property destroyed."

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DIED.

On the 3rd inst., at East Berlin, Adams County, Pa., after a long and lingering illness, Mrs. Caroline Sell, wife of Rev. Daniel Sell, aged 53 years, 5 months and 1 day.

On the 5th inst., at Fosburg, Mrs. Elizabeth Stamm, wife of Benjamin Stamm, aged 67 years 9 months, and 25 days.

On the 16th inst., near Centre Hill, Jonathan Royer, aged 44 years, 10 months and 23 days.

On the 14th inst., in Gregg township, Catharine Breon, wife of George Breon, in the 73rd year of her age.

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" new, No. 2	1.00
" " No. 3	85
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Plaster, ground	9.50
Cement, per Bushel	45 to 50
Barley	70
Timothyseed	
Flaxseed	
Cloverseed	8.50
Butter	22
Hams	15
Sides	10
Veal	
Pork	
Beef	
Eggs	25
Potatoes	60
Lard	12
Tallow	
Soap	6
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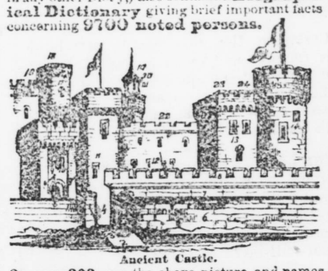

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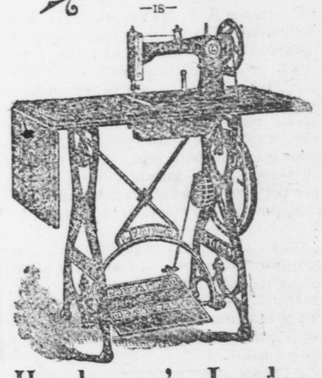

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AGRICULTURE.

MILK SETTING.—"Why," asks one of our subscribers, "does it take so much greater bulk of cream to make a pound of butter, when raised from milk, set in a cellar, where the temperature is uniformly at 60 degrees or less, than from milk set in an upper room, where, in summer the mercury stands much of the time at about 70 degrees?"

He also finds that he gets less butter from a like quantity of milk, kept in the cellar, than in the warmer upper room, a result that accords fully with our own experience in setting milk for butter making. It may, on many farms, seem a necessity to set the milk in the cellar of a dwelling house. This happens during the hottest weather, on farms where there is no good, cool dairy room, above the cellar. It a basement could be built partly below and partly above ground, so as to secure good ventilation, and a comparatively dry atmosphere, very good results might be looked for.

The objection to a cellar for milk setting, is the usual dampness and want of ventilation, The air is not easily changed and after a room has been used for some weeks for carrying in warm milk twice a day, it becomes much warmer than one that is kept constantly closed.

Nearly all basement air in summer is damp and damp air inclines to increase the relative bulk of cream, simply because the water that is still mingled with nearly all cream has not had the opportunity to be dried out of it. Cream raised in a warm dry air is of the nature of condensed cream a very small vuantity only being required for a pound of butter. There is another difficulty with cream raised in cellars. It is so thin and watery that ordinary skimmers will not hold it, but let it pass through the holes and mix in again with the milk.

The cream from deep cans set in cold water is uniformly thin and watery, and cannot be skimmed, but is dipped off with dippers made expressly for the purpose,

Scalded milk, if set in shallow pans in the open air, throws up cream that represents the opposite extreme, being almost pure butter before it is churned.

WHY NOT MAKE A LADDER?—There are two principles to be kept in view in making ladders—lightness and durability. The material should be thoroughly seasoned; basswood makes the best side pieces, although pine that is free from knots will do. For a ladder 15 feet long, the side pieces should be two inches wide at the top, three and one-half inches at the bottom, and one and one-half inches thick; the top round 14 inches long, the bottom round 28 inches. The rounds should be of tough oak or ash. For a ladder 29 feet in length, the side pieces should be 2½x4, and 1½ inches thick; top round 16 inches long, bottom round 30 inches round 18 inches apart from center to center; the holes in the sides for the rounds to center should be one inch Every farmer needs a set of ladders, say 10, 15, 20, and perhaps 25 feet in length, and then paint them well and house them if possible, and you will have something useful through a lifetime.

In treating cows for horn brittleness a stock raiser in Austria found no good resulting from feeding bone-meal when the water used from a spring was perfectly soft—that is, without mineral matter. But upon changing them to the water of another spring, containing carbonate, sulphate and phosphate of lime and chlorate of magnesia in small quantities, the effects were as follows: First. The animals drank half as much as before. Second. The cows gave more and better milk than before. Third. The worst diseased cows at once began to get better, and this was the first case in which any of them recovered without removal. Fourth. The oxen showed far better condition than could be previously attained on the best of food and with the most careful attention. Fifth, No fresh cases occurred as soon as the change of water was introduced.

By means of the drainage of land the various chemical actions which take place through the action of the atmosphere on the surface soil are carried down to a greater or less extent into the subsoil, for as the water-level is lowered the air enters from above to fill the cavities in the soil. By drainage, also, the depth to which roots will penetrate is increased, for roots will not grow in the absence of oxygen, and rot as soon as they reach a permanent water level.

THE Shropshire downs possess beautiful symmetry of form, fine quality and early maturity of all their parts, a vigorous constitution and grand muscular proportions. They are first-class shearers, carrying a fine, compact coat, valuable at once for wool and protection from chilling sleet-storms. They stand close herding in large numbers remarkably well, the ewes are good mothers, and twin lambs are not unusual.

PROFESSOR S. T. MAYNARD, of the Massachusetts Agricultural College says: "I know of no other reason why the potato fails to produce its true fruit, the potato balls, than that the power of reproduction by seed has been weakened by the forcing process they have been subjected to for the past ten years by the propagation from single eyes, cuttings, etc. Other plants, the verbena, for instance, after having been propagated several years from cuttings, produce very few, if any, seeds."

AMONG all the field crops which the farmer grows there are few, if any, that afford a more certain profit than winter rye, whether it is sown for grain and straw or for a green crop to feed stock in May. In fact it is a good crop to grow for an early spring pasture.

EVERY farmer or teamster should examine his team harness often to see that no part of it chafes or rubs the skin of his horse—it is a good idea to keep it well oiled, so that it will be pliable and soft. Take good care of the dumb animals.

ESTIMATING nitrogen at 22½ cents per pound, potash at 7 cents and phosphoric acid at 9 cents, the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station states the commercial worth of night soil at 30 cents per 100 pounds, or $6 per ton, as the most favorable reckoning.

THE prices which were paid by the National Shorthorn Association for the various herd books were as follows: American Shorthorn Herd Book, $25 000; American Shorthorn Recarder, $13,000; Ohio Shorthorn Record, $1,000.

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DOMESTIC.

FASHIONS IN BEDSTEADS.—The introduction of the brass bedstead into modern homes is, the greatest revolution that has been attempted. A few years ago these bedsteads were entirely unknown in America, now one house alone exhibits twenty different styles, and there is little doubt that they will meet with increasing favor. They are so very handsome in appearance, are so light and so easily moved from one side of the room to the other, and, above all, they are so free from all impurities, as no dust collects upon them, that probably in time they will entirely supersede those of wood. It has taken time to prove that they do not lead to increase of work in the need of constant polish, but a wash has recently been invented which renders the metal impervious to the influence of moisture, and so does away with the principal objection to their universal adoption. It is not necessary to speak of the marvels of decoration and carving which are introduced into the modern bedstead by the fashionable decorator. Unlimited command of money can secure any amount of it, but it is not altogether to be deplored that very few persons after all are in this blisstul position. Beds, like other matters, are often the better for being simple, and the housekeeper who sighs with envy for for the ebony bedstead inlaid with ivory or silver may be comforted with the reflection that a handsome brass bedstead, which fulfills the intention of its construction, is more appropriate in homes where dollars are not counted by thousands than the magnificence of carving and silver would be.

SHAWL STRAPS.—Two pertty fancy shawl straps are thus described; Take two strips of French canvas thirty-eight inches long and thirty-eight inches wide; embroider them with bright colored Berlin wool, sew them down on two strips of leather of corresponding length and width, line with silk, and finish the edges all around with a crotchered border. For the handle, take one strip of canvas twenty-five inches long and three inches wide. Embroider, etc., to correspond with the strap. Sew the ends of the handle over the straps so it (the handle) can be slipped backward or forward, Have the ends of straps furnished with silver clasps. In fastening around the shawl have the straps close enough together to make the handle bow-shaped. A less expensive and very pretty strap can be made of strips of stout brown Holland, embroidered or braided, lined, and the edges bound with worsted braid, the ends furnished with steel clasps, or buckles and eyelet holes

HERE is a recipe for a "hard-times pudding": Half a pint of molasses, half a pint of water, two teaspoonfuls of soda and one teaspoonful of salt, Thicken with flour enough to make a batter about like that for a cup cake. Put this in a pudding-bag, or a pudding-boiler; allow room to rise. It would be safe to have the pudding-bag about half full of the batter. Let this boil steadily for three hours. Sauce to serve with it is made thus: Mix two teaspoonfuls of either white or brown sugar with a lump of butter the size of a butternut; a little salt and one large spoonful of flour should be mixed with the butter and sugar. When free from lumps pour boiling water slowly over it, stirring all the time. Let it boil up once or twice to make it of the desired thickness.

SALMON croquetts are asked for, so the recipe is repeated:—One pound can of salmon chopped fine, and add to it one teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of chopped parsley, piece of half a lemon and a dust of cayenne. Mix thoroughly. Put a cup of cream on to boil. Rub one tablespoonful of butter and two tablespoonfuls of flour together till smooth, and stir them into the boiling cream. Stir and cook two minutes. Stir it into the salmon; mix well, turn out on a dish to cool. Form into croquette shapes with a wineglass, roll in beaten egg and bread-crumbs, and fry in olive butter; drain a piece of brown paper until not a particle of fat adheres. Serve on a napkin with parsley garnish.

NOW THAT sausage time is here, the French receipt for baked mushrooms can be tried. The mushrooms must be nicely prepared, and part of their gills scraped away so as to make them somewhat hollow; this mushroom material is mixed either with some sausage meat or with a concoction of minced tongue or ham, and a few bread-crumbs and butter. Each mushroom is filled with this stuffing and gently cooked in the oven in a covered dish with a little piece of butter. Whilst cooking, small circles of toast, well buttered, are prepared, and a mushroom neatly placed on each. They are served on a hot dish and are excellent.

SCOTCH cakes are economical so far as eggs are concerned, and, if made with care, will melt in the mouths of children. To one pound of flour allow half a pound of butter and a quarter of a pound of sugar; let the butter stand in a basin near the fire to soften, but not melt; when soft, rub it and the flour together; then knead in the sugar. Roll out in a sheet half an inch thick; cut out cakes about two inches square; bake until they are a light brown. Put them away in a stone jar, and they will in a day or two gather moisture enough to be soft.

COLD SLAW.—Beat the yolks of four eggs to a very light cream, then stir gradually into them five tablespoonfuls of cider vinegar. Add two or three tablespoonfuls of sugar, and stir the mixture over the fire until it begins to thicken like boiled custard; then remove and add a teaspoonful of butter and nearly a teaspoonful of anchovy mustard. Set the sauce upon ice to become cold. and pour it over the sliced cabbage just before serving. Celery is often mixed with the cabbage for this salad,

NEW WAY OF SERVING OATMEAL.—Take a dessert-spoonful of oatmeal, place it, in the morning, in a tumbler, and fill up with new milk. Let it stand all day, and take it for supper or for a night-cap. The grains will have been softened by their long soaking in the milk, and it can be eaten with a spoon. This is said by its advocates to be a specific against neuralgia, and is also soundly recommended for sedentary folks.

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HUMOROUS.

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MUSICAL note: "Yes, Jemima shall go to Italy to have her voice cultivated," said a proud father to a fair haired girl who stood beside him affectionately stroking his snowy locks. "Can't I go, too?" asked the younger brother, John. "You!" exclaimed his parent with surprise, "why, you have no voice." The following morning, when Johnny met the neighbor's boy next door, he remarked with the air of one who had been relieved of a disagreeable duty: "I guess we needn't shoot any more cats, Bill, dad's likely to send them to Italy."

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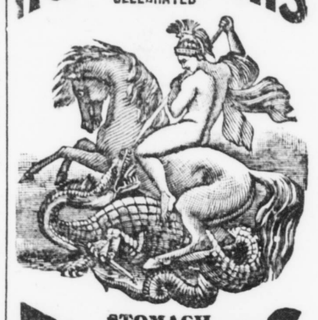

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